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SUBJECT: SPAIN'S RELATIONS WITH GDR

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1. IN RESPONSE TO EMBASSY OFFICER'S QUESTION, MFA OFFICER HAS SAID THAT GDR GOVERNMENT MAKES NO DISTINCTION BETWEEN "SUSPENSION" OF ITS RELATIONS WITH SPAIN AND FORMAL ACT OF BREAKING RELATIONS. IN OTHER WORDS, GDR CONSIDERS ITSELF NOT TO HAVE FORMAL DIPLOMATIC RELATIONS WITH SPAIN AT THE PRESENT TIME.

2. WHEN ASKED WHETHER GDR COMMERCIAL OFFICERS ASSIGNED TO GDR EMBASSY IN MADRID WOULD CONTINUE TO FUNCTION NORMALLY, MFA OFFICER STATED GDR GOVERNMENT CONSIDERS COMMERCIAL TRADE INTEREST TO BE A DIFFERENT LEVEL THAN DIPLOMATIC INTEREST AND THAT IT IS CONCEIVABLE GDR COMMERCIAL OFFICERS COULD CONTINUE TO FUNCTION AS BEFORE DESPITE BREAK IN DIPLOMATIC RELATIONS. MFA OFFICER GAVE NO INDICATION THAT CONSIDERATION WAS BEING
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